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National Apprenticeship Promotion Scheme
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Will the Minister of SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP be pleased to state:

(a) the funds allocated and utilised under the National Apprenticeship Promotion Scheme during the last three years and the current year, State-wise;

(b) the details of industries that are registered to avail the benefits under the scheme, State-wise;

(c) the expenditure incurred on the publicity of the scheme, State-wise; and

(d) whether the Government maintains data of the beneficiaries of the scheme and if so, the State-wise details thereof?

Answer

(a) The Government of India has approved 'National Apprenticeship Promotion Scheme' with an indicative outlay of Rs. 10,000 crore to provide apprenticeship training to 50 lakh youth by 2020. Under the scheme, Government of India will share 25% of prescribed stipend subject to a maximum of Rs. 1500 per month per apprentice with the employers. Government of India will also share maximum Rs. 7500 per fresher apprentice (without any formal trade training) as a cost of basic training with Basic Training Providers for a maximum duration of 500 hours/3 months.

(b) to (d) The scheme is yet to be launched.